

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ENHANCEMENT OF PEPTIDE CELLULAR UPTAKE

the specification of which (check one)

☒ [X] is attached hereto.

☐ [] was filed on _____ as United States Application Serial No. _____ or PCT International Application No. _____ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

PRIORITY FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

Priority Claimed

 (Number) (Country) (Day/month/year filed) Yes [] No []

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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 (Application Number) (Filing Date)

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

 (Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) (Status)(patented, pending, abandoned)

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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For: ENHANCEMENT OF PEPTIDE CELLULAR UPTAKE

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) AND 1.27(d)) - NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION**

I hereby declare that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the non-profit organization identified below:

NAME OF NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION: Thomas Jefferson University

ADDRESS OF NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION 11th and Walnut Streets

Philadelphia, PA

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION:

- ☒ University of Other Institute of Higher Education
- ☐ Tax exempt under Internal Revenue Service Code (26 USC 501(a) and 501 (c)(3))
- ☐ Nonprofit Scientific or Educational under Statute of State of the United States of America
(Name of State _____)
(Citation of Statute _____)
- ☐ Would Qualify as Tax Exempt under Internal Revenue Service Code (26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3) If Located in the United States
- ☐ Would Qualify as Non-profit Scientific or Educational under Statute of State of the United States of America If Located in the United States of America
(Name of State _____)
(Citation of Statute _____)

I hereby declare that the non-profit organization identified above qualifies as a non-profit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code with regard to the above-identified invention by inventor(s) identified above described in

- ☒ the specification filed herewith, with title as listed above.
- ☐ the application identified above.
- ☐ the patent identified above.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to, and remain with, the non-profit organization, with regard to the above-identified invention.

If the rights held by the non-profit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c), if that person made the invention, or by any concern that would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

Each such person, concern or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

- ☒ No such person, concern or organization exists.
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FULL NAME _____
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☐ INDIVIDUAL ☐ SMALL BUSINESS ☐ NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

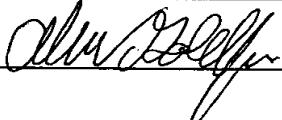
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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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